



Farm Tour & Harvest Sale

Saturday July 26, 2003 with some participating farms for Sunday July 27, 2003 as well. **Farm No. 1 will be open at 7:00 AM for breakfast. Farms 2-13 will be open from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM as noted.** Come by the Agricultural History Farm Park* (see map) and pick up a Farm Tour brochure. Treat your family to a fresh country breakfast starting at 7:00 AM (quantities are limited) \$. Several farms have hayrides, pony rides, music, demonstrations and other fun activities planned. The event will take place rain or shine, however, if it rains some events and activities scheduled at the farms may be delayed or cancelled. Purchase fresh fruits, vegetables, flowers, plants and more. Spend a day or two in the country petting farm animals or having lunch by a scenic pond. It's an educational experience and a great family day outing.

Buses or groups , and designated accessible parking for persons with disabilities , are available where indicated. No pets are allowed except seeing eye dogs for persons with physical disabilities or hearing impairments

ATTENTION BUS/GROUP SPONSORS: Please call the property owners at least three days in advance for complete instructions.

GENERAL INFORMATION: 301-590-2823

PICK UP A BROCHURE: Agricultural History Farm Park* (see map), 18410 Muncaster Road, Derwood, Upcounty Regional Services Center, Conference & Visitors Bureau counter, 12900 Middlebrook Rd., Germantown and the Montgomery County Public Libraries.

PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES ASSISTANCE: 240-777-2046 TTY or 301-590-2823 before 7/1/03.

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THE FARM TOUR AND HARVEST SALE is coordinated by the Montgomery County Department of Economic Development in cooperation with the Montgomery County Farm Tour Committee.



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Montgomery County
Department of Economic Development
Agricultural Services Division
18410 Muncaster Road
Derwood, Maryland 20855
301-590-2823/240-777-2000

2003 Farm Tour & Harvest Sale

14th
Annual

Montgomery
County,
Maryland

Saturday, July 26th 13 Farms Open!

Sunday, July 27th 7 Farms Open!

www.FarmerLink.com



Saturday & Sunday

(In Alphabetical Order)



1 AGRICULTURAL HISTORY FARM PARK, 18410 Muncaster Rd., Derwood. Pick up your Farm Tour brochure and start your day the old fashioned way by visiting the Farm Park where there will be several exciting, as well as, informative agricultural exhibits, machinery and other displays as follows:

Please Note-there will NOT be animals or fruits/vegetables at this location

Agricultural Services - Come inside the main entrance of the Activity Center and walk through the multi purpose room where a variety of government programs and services including the agricultural film entitled "Heritage and Hope" will be on display. On Sunday, the Maryland Agricultural show case will be presented by the Maryland Agricultural Education Foundation and open for visitors in the lower level parking lot.

Friends of the Agricultural History Farm Park — Start out the day and your tour right by coming by the Farm Park to view an agricultural implement time line. **Starting at 7:00 AM the Friends of the Agricultural History Farm Park will be selling country breakfast foods in the lower kitchen of the Activity Center (quantities are limited) \$.** There will be agricultural machinery and implements that span two centuries on the grounds of the MNCPPC Activity Center. www.montgomeryparksfnd.org/fg/fg-aghst.htm 301-670-4661



2 BUTLER'S ORCHARD, Butler Family, 22222 Davis Mill Rd., Germantown. "Share the Harvest with Butler's" the premiere pick-your-own farm in the County, offering fruits and vegetables. Strawberries, blueberries, raspberries, corn, tomatoes, jams, fruit spreads and an assortment of hand-crafted gifts and goodies available in the farm market. Visit the annual "Pumpkin Festival" in October and take a hayride or educational tour all year round. On Farm Tour day, the public is invited to tour one of the County's most scenic farms, then stop in at the market to sample some of the delicious bounty grown on the farm. Pony rides \$. Refreshments \$. 301-972-3299



3 CATOCTIN VINEYARDS, Robert Lyon, 805 Greenbridge Rd., Brookeville. Tour traditional state-of-the-art wine production facility. Taste award winning fine table wines - including: Chardonnay, Cabernet Sauvignon, Riesling, Merlot, Sauvignon Blanc & Eye of the Oriole - all for sale from \$5-15/bottle. Accessories and t-shirts, as well as fruits, vegetables, flowers and dried flower arrangements are also for sale. The winery is open for tours, tasting and sales Sat. & Sun. 12-5 pm. 301-774-2310



4 HOMESTEAD FARM, Allnutt Family, 15604 Sugarland Rd., Poolesville. Visit our family-owned farm and orchard. Enjoy pick-your-own peaches, blackberries and excellent tomatoes. We also have many vegetables including sweet corn, peppers, melons and more in our farmers market. Bring the kids to visit our barnyard full of animals. Take a walk through our apple orchard to scout out your favorite variety for picking in September. Bring your cutters and bucket for our beautiful flower garden. We'll have food, drinks, fresh produce and fresh fruit, ice cream sundaes for sale. 301-977-3761



5 LEWIS ORCHARDS, Robert & Linda Lewis, 18901 Peach Tree Rd., Dickerson. Family owned and operated farm since 1888. We grow peaches, plums, apricots, nectarines, apples, sweet corn, tomatoes, sweet & hot peppers, summer and winter squash, okra, eggplant, slicing & pickling cucumbers, pumpkins and other summer and fall vegetables. Open mid-June to Thanksgiving - daily. Come and see our beautiful view. 301-349-4101



6 PHILLIPS FARM, Jean Phillips, 13710 Schaeffer Rd., Germantown. Come enjoy a free hayride! Climb our haystack, pet the friendly farm animals, pony rides, explore a 1 acre maze. We specialize in super-sweet varieties of sweet corn (white, yellow or bi-color) picked each morning - as well as our own tomatoes, peppers and squash. Pick-your-own flowers. Visit in Oct. for a hayride to pick-your-own pumpkins. Enjoy fresh produce and our animals July-Oct. Fresh cut Christmas trees. World Wide Web Address: www.phillipsfarmproduce.com 301-540-2364



7 ROCK HILL ORCHARD, Dick & Nancy Biggs, 28600 Ridge Rd., Mt. Airy. Go back in time with the MD two-cylinder tractor club's display of antique farm equipment and enjoy a free hayride through our apple, peach and cherry orchards. Cut your own bouquet from over 30 varieties of flowers or "pick your own" blackberries and green beans. We'll have fresh fruits, vegetables, jams, jellies and ice cream topped with peaches for sale at our farm market. Come back in the fall for "pick-you-own" red raspberries, apples and pumpkins. 301-831-7427



Saturday Only

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8 CAMP OLYMPIA, Celeste McGee, 5511 Muncaster Mill Rd., Rockville. Camp Olympia has been a Montgomery County tradition for 45 years serving children and adults through our year round horse center, year round preschool/kindergarten, and our exciting summer sports day camp. On Farm Tour day, you are invited to see a variety of sports and riding demonstrations by campers and staff. Different demonstrations will be offered every hour. Pony rides throughout the day \$. 301-926-9281



9 JEHOVAH-JIREH FARM, Myron & Cathy Horst, 19815 Martinsburg Rd., Dickerson. Come and visit a peaceful working family farm. See our baby chicks, hens, broilers, calves, sheep, cows and beef steers. Enjoy a delicious bbq chicken lunch featuring our pasture raised chicken. Take a hike to the creek and twin ponds. Mini cart rides for children \$. Frozen premium pasture raised chicken and beef and fresh brown eggs for sale \$. Bring a cooler. See why our six children enjoy growing up on a farm. www.jehovahjirehfarm.com 301-349-4721



10 LINDEN FARM, Sugarloaf Citizens Association, 20900 Martinsburg Rd., Dickerson. Fun for the kids! Pony rides, hands-on activities and more. Tour our newly-renovated bank barn & board and batten house. Cool off in our geothermal air-conditioned dairy barn. Enjoy music & summertime refreshments. See how composting and recycling work. Meet the "Sugarloaf Babies", our little stuffed farm animals. Sales benefit our nonprofit farm fund. 301-349-4889



11 POPLAR SPRING ANIMAL SANCTUARY, Teresa Cummings and Dave Hoerauf, 15200 Mt. Nebo Rd., Poolesville. Come tour a beautiful 400 acre farm bordering on the C&O Canal and Potomac River, and meet friendly horses, cows, sheep, goats, pigs, chickens, and turkeys. Poplar Spring is an animal refuge dedicated to the protection of wildlife and the rescue of abused and abandoned farm animals. Hay rides and sale of refreshments, t-shirts and crafts to benefit the non-profit sanctuary. 301-428-8128



12 RED WIGGLER, Woody Woodroof, 25214 Peach Tree Rd., Clarksburg. Red Wiggler and "Concerts in the Country" present ART FARM. Over a dozen artists offer music, dance and art installations designed for the farm. We are a community farm ecologically growing over 50 varieties of vegetables. Hay rides, sandwiches, treats and drinks available. 301-916-4133



13 STADLER NURSERY, Lisa Stadler, 6815 Rt. 108, Laytonsville. Come visit the largest tree farm in the County. Hop on a hayride to tour our fields of flourishing shade, flowering, and evergreen trees. Watch a big tree spade in action and learn why trees are important and how to plant, transplant and care for them. Stroll through our beautiful display gardens at the garden center where you will gain insight and inspiration for your home landscape. Our friendly knowledgeable staff will be on hand to answer your questions. 301-840-2044



Animals



Artwork & Crafts



Buses & Group



Handicap Parking



Christmas Trees



Flowers



Fruit & Vegetables



Home Cooked Specialties



Pick-Your-Own



Pumpkins



Winery